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Application of: *Lehman, et al.*

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Examiner: Haghighatian, M.

For: NASAL ADMINISTRATION OF
AGENTS FOR THE TREATMENT
OF GASTROPARESIS

Attorney Docket No.: 7960-131

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants have carefully considered the Advisory Action, mailed October 30, 2003, in connection with the above-identified application.

Enclosed herewith are:

a) a Petition for extension of time for three (3) months from September 5, 2003, to and including December 5, 2003, wherein the fee represents the difference between a two month extension of time from July 5, 2003 to September 5 (and which was paid on September 5, 2003), and a five month extension of time extending the time for response further to December 5, 2003; and

b) a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

A listing of the claims starts at page 2 of this response. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Remarks start at page 6 of this response.